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AMENDMENT - C

Box Non-Fee Amendment
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 30, 2001, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 36 without prejudice, and without abandonment or dedication of the subject matter thereof.

REMARKS

Upon entry of the present amendment, the claims remaining in the application are claims 22, 26, 29, 33-35, and 37-39.

The allowance of claims 33-35, 37 and 38 is noted.

Claims 22, 26, 29 and 39 are presently rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over "applicant's admitted prior art (page 1, lines 1 *et seq.*)" in view of Stacey and Thanawala. Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection based on the reasons set forth hereinbelow.

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